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In re Appln. of: Diem et al.

Appln. No.: 10/500,196

Filed: October 10, 2006

For: METHOD AND ZONE FOR SEALING  
BETWEEN TWO MICROSTRUCTURE  
SUBSTRATES

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## Attached is/are:

- (1) Transmittal; (2) Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111; (3) European Patent No. 0 552 466; (4) Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; (5) PTO-1449 Form; and (6) References C1-C3.

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Respectfully submitted,

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